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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE PATENT APPLICATION OF: Bellaiche, L., et al.

Appl. No.: 10/632,740

Group Art Unit: 1755

Filed: 08/01/2003

Examiner: Koslow, C.

For: Enhanced Electromechanical Properties in Atomically-Ordered Ferroelectric Alloys

**Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for this application. Also enclosed is a self-addressed, stamped postcard.
2. A Statement Claiming Small Entity Status has been filed in this application.
3. No additional fee for claims is required.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</u></p> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</p> <p>on: <u>Jan. 18, 2005</u></p> <p><u><i>Ray F. Cox, Jr.</i></u> Ray F. Cox, Jr.</p>

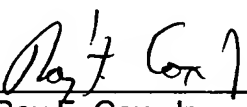
4. This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension is for a period of one month and appropriate fee for a small entity is \$225.00.

5. Enclosed herewith is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. The Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after a first office action but before the mailing date of a notice of allowance, final office action or *Ex Parte Quayle* action. Accordingly, the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is accompanied by the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p) as required by 37 CFR 1.97(c). The amount of the fee is \$180.00.

6. A check in the amount of \$405.00 is enclosed in payment of the fee for extension of time and the fee for filing the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

7. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 23-3263 for any deficiency. Please refund any overpayment by check. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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